

FORM TO BE USED BY A PRISONER IN FILING A
CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLAINT

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

Luis Angel Torres Echevarria

(Enter above the full name of the plaintiff in this action)

COMPLAINT

v.

Civil Action No. _____

(To be supplied by the Clerk of the Court)

Prosecutor Mr. John Kaye

Assist. Prosecutor Mrs. Anita White

(Enter above the full name of the defendant or defendants
in this action)

INSTRUCTIONS -- READ CAREFULLY

1. This complaint must be legibly handwritten or typewritten, signed by the plaintiff and subscribed to under penalty of perjury as being true and correct. All questions must be answered concisely in the proper space on the form. Where more space is needed to answer any question, attach a separate sheet.
2. In accordance with Rule 8 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the complaint should contain (1) a short and plain statement of the grounds upon which the court's jurisdiction depends, (2) a short plain statement of the claim showing that you are entitled to relief, and (3) a demand for judgment for the relief which you seek.
3. You must provide the full name of each defendant or defendants and where they can be found.
4. You must send the original and one copy of the complaint to the Clerk of the District Court. You must also send one additional copy of the complaint for each defendant to the Clerk. Do not send the complaint directly to the defendants.
5. Upon receipt of a fee of \$350.00, your complaint will be filed. You will be responsible for service of a separate summons and copy of the complaint on each defendant. See Rule 4, Federal Rule of Civil Procedure.

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6. If you cannot prepay the \$350.00 filing fee, you may request permission to proceed in forma pauperis in accordance with the procedures set forth below. (If there is more than one plaintiff, each plaintiff must separately request permission to proceed in forma pauperis.)

The Prison Litigation Reform Act of 1996 ("PLRA"), effective April 26, 1996, has made significant changes to the in forma pauperis statute, 28 U.S.C. § 1915. The statute no longer provides for waiver of court filing fees for prisoners who are granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis. A prisoner who is granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis is not required to pay the filing fees in advance, but the prisoner is obligated to pay the entire filing fee in installment payments regardless of the outcome of the proceeding. This obligation to pay the filing fee continues even if the prisoner is transferred to another prison. Therefore, before submitting this application to the Clerk of the Court, a prisoner should consider carefully whether he or she wishes to go forward with the action.

The PLRA obligates prisoners who are granted in forma pauperis status to pay the entire filing fee in the following manner, regardless of the outcome of the litigation. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1) and (2). The agency having custody over the prisoner shall deduct from the prisoner's institutional account and forward to the Clerk of the Court (1) an initial partial filing fee equal to 20% of the greater of the average monthly deposits to the prisoner's account or the average monthly balance in the prisoner's account for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint, and (2) payments equal to 20% of the preceding month's income credited to the prisoner's institutional account each month the amount in the account exceeds \$10.00, until the \$350.00 filing fee is paid. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1) and (2). However, a prisoner who has no assets and no means by which to pay the initial partial filing fee will not be prohibited from bringing a civil action. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(4).

Each prisoner plaintiff who desires to proceed in forma pauperis must submit the following to the Clerk of the Court:

- a. a completed, signed, and dated application to proceed in forma pauperis (attached hereto); and
 - b. a certified copy of your prison account statement for the 6-month period immediately preceding submission of this application, listing the account balance and all deposits into the account. A prison account statement must be obtained from the appropriate official of each prison at which you are or were confined during the preceding 6 months.
7. If your application to proceed in forma pauperis does not conform to these instructions, you will be notified by letter of the nature of the deficiencies. If these deficiencies are not cured within 120 days of the date of the letter, the complaint will be deemed withdrawn, the Clerk's file will be closed, and no fees will be assessed against you.
8. If you are given permission to proceed in forma pauperis, the Clerk will prepare and issue a copy of the summons for each defendant. The copies of summonses and the copies of the complaint which you have submitted will be forwarded by the Clerk to the United States Marshal, who is responsible for service. The Marshal has USM-285 forms you must complete

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so that the Marshal can locate and serve each defendant. If the forms are sent to you, you must complete them in full and return the forms to the Marshal.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED

1. Jurisdiction is asserted pursuant to (CHECK ONE)

X

42 U.S.C. § 1983 (applies to state prisoners)

Bivens v. Six Unknown Named Agents of Fed. Bureau of Narcotics,
403 U.S. 388 (1971) and 28 U.S.C. § 1331 (applies to federal prisoners)

If you want to assert jurisdiction under different or additional statutes, list these below:

2. Previously Dismissed Federal Civil Actions or Appeals

If you are proceeding in forma pauperis, list each civil action or appeal you have brought in a federal court while you were incarcerated or detained in any facility, that was dismissed as frivolous or malicious, or for failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted. Please note that a prisoner who has on three or more prior occasions, while detained in any facility, brought an action or appeal in a federal court that was dismissed as frivolous or malicious, or for failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted, will be denied in forma pauperis status unless that prisoner is under imminent danger of serious physical injury. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g).

- a. Parties to previous lawsuit:

Plaintiff(s): Luis Angel Torres Echevarria

Defendant(s): Prosecutor: Mr. John Kaye

- b. Court and docket number: District Court of N.J. # 3:05-CV-899
- c. Grounds for dismissal: () frivolous () malicious () failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted
- d. Approximate date of filing lawsuit: _____

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e. Approximate date of disposition: _____

If there is more than one civil action or appeal, describe the additional civil actions or appeals using this same format on separate sheets.

3. Place of Present Confinement? Southwood State Prison 215 Burlington Road South
CN 6000 Bridgeton N.J. 08302 H-4-2-RT-Cell 206
SBI- 000975-998-B

4. Parties

(In item (a) below, place your name in the first blank and place your present address in the second blank. Do the same for additional plaintiffs, if any.)

a. Name of plaintiff: Luis Angel Torres Echevarria

Address: Southwood State Prison 215 Burlington Road South

CN 6000 Bridgeton, N.J. 08302 H-4-2-Cell 206
SBI-000975-998-B

Inmate #: 292739

b. First defendant -- name: Prosecutor: Mr John Kaye

Official position: Prosecutor

Place of employment: Freehold Boro Prosecutors Department

How is this person involved in the case?

(i.e., what are you alleging that this person did or did not do that violated your constitutional rights?)

The Prosecutor Mr. John Kaye, permit the
Asst. Prosecutor Anita Whites to fabricate the case,
and the false statements of the Detectives,
either to access the Van that was on
Custody by the Prosecutors office for twenty four hours.

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6. Statement of Claims

(State here as briefly as possible the facts of your case. Describe how each defendant violated your rights, giving dates and places. If you do not specify how each defendant violated your rights and the date(s) and place of the violations, your complaint may be dismissed. Include also the names of other persons who are involved, including dates and places. Do not give any legal arguments or cite any cases or statutes. If you intend to allege a number of related claims, number and set forth each claim in a separate paragraph. Use as much space as you need. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.)

The prosecutor John Kaye said before Luis was sentenced that he was going to be sentenced with 25 to life. How could he know if the trial was going to be evaluated by a jury trial.

Assist Anita White forced the witness Jesus of Jesus to say that the gun that she had was from Luis Angel Louis Echevarria. He said he wanted to say the truth but she didn't permit it. She permit a signature without forced, she knew of the police false statement, that some officers were not on the case.

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7. Relief

(State briefly exactly what you want the Court to do for you. Make no legal arguments. Cite no cases or statutes.)

To review my case, and clean my record and give me the liberty at once, to return to my country with my family, and to investigate and punished the right way, all the people that fabricated me the case

8. Do you request a jury or non-jury trial? (Check only one)

() Jury Trial

(X) Non-Jury Trial

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed this 10 day of March, 2009.

Luis Angel Torres Echevarria

Signature of plaintiff¹

Maria Consuelo Echevarria Garcia
(Mother) Maria Consuelo Echevarria Garcia

¹ EACH PLAINTIFF NAMED IN THE COMPLAINT MUST SIGN THE COMPLAINT HERE. ADD ADDITIONAL LINES IF THERE IS MORE THAN ONE PLAINTIFF. REMEMBER, EACH PLAINTIFF MUST SIGN THE COMPLAINT.